

Reporting Title: CEA, Pleural Fluid

Performing Location: Rochester

Specimen Requirements:

Container/Tube: Plain, plastic, screw-top tube

Specimen Volume: 2 mL

Forms:

[If not ordering electronically, complete, print, and send an Oncology Test Request](#) (T729) with the specimen.

Specimen Type	Temperature	Time	Special Container
Pleural Fluid	Frozen (preferred)	90 days	
	Refrigerated	14 days	
	Ambient	7 days	

Result Codes:

Result ID	Reporting Name	Type	Unit	LOINC®
PCEA	CEA, Pleural Fluid	Numeric	ng/mL	19169-2
SITE9	Site	Numeric		39111-0

LOINC® and CPT codes are provided by the performing laboratory.

Supplemental Report:

No

CPT Code Information:

82378

Reference Values:

An interpretive report will be provided.